

S. B. 277, bill to amend the charter of the town of Lexington, N. C. Referred, with petition, to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Alston, S. B. 278, bill to amend chapter 254, Laws of 1889, relative to the public school for the town of Littleton. Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Paine (by request), S. B. 279, bill to prevent the substitution of drugs in filling prescriptions. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Allen of Bladen, S. B. 280, bill to incorporate Bladenboro Presbyterian Church in Bladen County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Ardrey, S. B. 281, bill to incorporate the Charlotte Literary and Library Association. Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. King, S. B. 282, bill to prevent discrimination in pensioning wounded Confederate soldiers. Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

S. B. 283, bill to enable the Commissioners of the town of High Point to issue bonds to raise money to carry on a graded school and for other purposes. Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Aycock, S. B. 284, bill to amend *The Code*, and to require Clerks of the Superior Courts to make annual reports.

On motion of Mr. Turner, the rules were suspended and H. R. 351, S. R. 269, resolution of instruction to our Senators against the Force Bill was taken up on its second reading.

Mr. Turner moved to amend:

Strike out the first eleven lines of section 1 and insert in lieu thereof, the following: "That we applaud the patriotic efforts of our United States Senators and Representatives in Congress to secure the defeat of the bill now pending in the Congress of the United States and known as the Federal Election Law or Force Bill."